



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Examiner: Vincent Lai
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Title: Branch Prediction Scheme
Utilizing Multiple Branch
Predictors and Multiple Index
Hashing Mechanisms for
Determining a Final Prediction
Based on Intermediaries

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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136 FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a one-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 within which to respond to the Official Action mailed November 9, 2006, such extension allowing the undersigned until March 9, 2007 to respond.

A Fee Authorization is enclosed to cover this extension fee. However, if the Fee Authorization is missing or insufficient, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Meyertons, Hood, Kivlin, Kowert & Goetzel, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-1505/5181-96100/SJC.

Respectfully submitted,



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